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Letter dated 3 August from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of the Sudan to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council

Further to our previous letters concerning the acts of aggression that Chad continues to carry out inside the Sudanese borders, I wish to inform you, and through you the members of the Security Council, that on 28 July 2009, Chadian troops crossed the border with 30 Merkeva tanks and four armoured cars, attacked the Sudanese village of Arwa and kidnapped Sudanese citizens.

While we are placing before the Council details of the repeated acts of military aggression carried out by neighbouring Chad, we emphasize that the Government of the Sudan reserves its full and legitimate right to respond to such attacks in a manner that will prevent any repetition thereof and preserve the national security of the country.

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter circulated as a document of the Security Council.

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